

SEETHING RE-VOLT IN CHINA

Great Empire is Fairly Honey-combed With Discord

DYNASTY HANGS IN BALANCE

Capital of Empire Itself Is Threatened and Trouble Is No Longer Confined to the Central Provinces of the Country.

Peking, Oct. 13.—China to-day faces an unprecedented crisis. With the spread of revolutionary activity, opinion is gaining ground that the fate of the ruling dynasty is in the balance. The revolution is no longer confined to the central provinces. Peking itself is threatened. Members of the cabinet admit that the garrison here is honey-combed with revolutionary sentiment.

To-day's news included the reports that Chung-ching was in danger, that I-Chung was taken, and that Yu-Chow had fallen. Efforts of the authorities for the present are concentrated in an attempt to provide adequate defense for the capital city.

Word from Hankow this morning says the city is desolate. Last night was a night of terror for the populace. There was a massacre of Manchurian families, which left large numbers of dead. To add to the danger, all prisons were opened, the inmates being released. The revolutionary organization is making every effort to restore order.

Hankow, Oct. 13.—The revolution which has been hanging over China for months past, and of which the rising in the province of Sze-Chuen was only a small part, has begun in earnest. It is a concerted movement to take the empire and declare a republic. The noted exile revolutionist, Dr. Sun Yat Sen, leader of the anti-Manchu party, is expected to arrive in Hankow. He is believed, during that tour, to have made arrangements for the financing of the movement.

Sun Yu, a brother of Dr. Sun Yat Sen, who is now in Hankow, has been elected president of the provincial assembly, and Tang Hua Lung, the retiring president of the assembly, has been elected governor of Hu-Poh.

The whole assembly has seceded from the imperial government. The rebels are well organized and financially strong. They have confiscated the local treasuries and banks and are issuing their own paper money, redeeming the government notes with this, as the foreign banks are refusing the government notes.

The revolutionaries have captured Wu-Chang, the native section of Hankow and Han-Yang, the adjoining cities in Hu-Poh province. Chang-Sha, capital of Hunan, is reported to have risen in revolt and Nanking, capital of the province of Kiang-Su, is on the verge of a rising. Several public buildings have been destroyed.

Thousands of soldiers have joined the mutiny in Hu-Poh. Many Manchus have been killed and the terrified people are fleeing from the cities into the country, carrying their belongings. The prisoners have been opened and the criminals liberated. There has been fighting in the streets, but the most stringent orders have been issued that the lives of foreigners and their property shall be respected.

An American expedition which was dispatched from Hankow to Wu-Chang for the purpose of aiding the missionaries there, returned here yesterday with all the missionaries, with the exception of Miss Bakem of the Episcopal society, the members of the Roman Catholic mission, including the Sisters, and the London mission, who declined to depart.

There was a brief exchange of shots yesterday between the Wu-Chang forts and a loyal Chinese cruiser. The firing ceased after the British and Japanese officials had protested that it endangered the foreign concessions.

FOREIGNERS ARE SAFE.

They Are Being Protected by Chinese Rebels, It Is Said.

London, Oct. 12.—Advices received to-day from China confirm the reports of the safety of foreigners in that country. It is stated that the lives and property of the foreigners are under the protection of the rebels. Schools in the affected towns have been closed. The rebellion is not a surprise to the missionaries who are here on furloughs.

TURKS WILL BOYCOTT

THE ITALIANS

Are Taking Oath to Cease Dealings With Them—Italian Newspaper Men Ordered Out of Constantinople.

Constantinople, Oct. 13.—The government has ordered the expulsion, within 24 hours, of all Italian correspondents in Constantinople. A society has been organized to wage economic war against Italy. All Ottomans have been asked to sign the declaration, taking oath to cease all dealings with Italians. The newspapers endorse the campaign.

PHILADELPHIA NOT ANXIOUS.

World's Championship Baseball Team Brushing Up for Game With Giants.

Philadelphia, Oct. 13.—Members of the world's championship baseball team indulged in light practice this morning. It is the day before the first battle with the New York Giants, who will try to dethrone them. There is nothing about the demeanor of the men to indicate that they are anxious about the outcome of the struggle. The team leaves here this afternoon for New York.

See Mutt & Jeff by Bud Fisher in motion pictures at the Bijou to-night, also a Reliance picture, "The Turning Point," and a western drama, "The Winning Hand."

CRIPPLED STEAMER IS TOSSED ABOUT

Bearing Twenty Men, the Massasoit Is Somewhere Between Boston and Portland, at Mercy of Wind.

Portland, Me., Oct. 13.—Somewhere off the Maine coast, probably disabled and at the mercy of the gale and waves, the freight steamer Massasoit, from Boston for Portland, is struggling to-day to reach Portland. The steamer Camden found the Massasoit in distress off Cape Elizabeth lightship last night, her engines being broken down.

The Camden stood by five hours and then came here for a tug. The Massasoit is reported by wireless to be limping towards Portland, her engines having been temporarily repaired. The Massasoit has a crew of about twenty men.

STUDYING MANAGEMENT

Five Hundred Business and Professional Men Are in Hanover, N. H.

Hanover, N. H., Oct. 13.—Five hundred New England business and professional men attended to-day's sessions of the Tuck school's conference on scientific management. The principal address was by Henry Gantt of New York. There were a number of conferences for various lines of labor.

GOVERNMENT WINS

IN BATH TUB CASE

Important Decision in Its Favor by Circuit Court at Baltimore To-day—Is Separate From Detroit Case.

Baltimore, Oct. 13.—A decision in favor of the government in its dissolution suit against the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing company, the so-called "bath tub trust," was rendered in the United States circuit court to-day by Judge Rose. Judge Pritchard concurred with Judge Rose, but Judge Goff dissented.

The action was brought under the Sherman anti-trust law. In case of appeal it will go direct to the United States supreme court. While the decision is a separate case from the criminal action against the alleged trust at Detroit, the proceedings concern the same subject and are against the same defendants.

HEAVIEST RAINFALL

IN FIFTY YEARS

Seven People Reported to Be Drowned and Property Damage of \$300,000 Done on West Coast of Mexico.

Tucson, Arizona, Oct. 13.—Seven persons are reported to be dead in Guaymas, with property damage of \$300,000, are included as the result of a heavy rainfall and wind which visited the west coast of Mexico on Tuesday. The rainfall was the heaviest in fifty years.

STOLE CHIEF'S OVERCOAT.

Pawtucket Robbers Operated in Police Station With Officers on Guard.

Pawtucket, R. I., Oct. 14.—A sneak thief entered the local police station during last night and stole Chief of Police Hill's overcoat. Three officers on guard there through the night did not see the thief. A band of sneak thieves have been operating boldly here of late. The chief ordered strenuous efforts to capture the marauders.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

Midshipman Charles Price of Pennsylvania Had Been Ordered to Take Them and He Shot Himself.

Manila, Oct. 13.—Midshipman Charles Price of the cruiser New Orleans committed suicide to-day by shooting. He had been ordered to take a re-examination for promotion. Price's home was in Pennsylvania.

TO AVOID EXAMS

Dear Old Ballinger.

When Richard A. Ballinger ceased to be secretary of the interior he gave the newspapers a little sketch of his plans. He intended to take a long rest, and after he was thoroughly rested he intended to bring legal proceedings against his detractors. He has not stuck very close to either part of his programme. His detractors have not yet lost either liberty, money, or sleep. His rest has been rather broken.

Mr. Ballinger broke it himself when the Cunningham claims were declared fraudulent. His loyalty to the elements proved stronger than his gratitude to the president. He forgot the very handsome and slightly fearful letter in which the president bade him good-by. Mr. Ballinger was overcome by the disaster that had befallen the claims he had once ordered to patent. He interrupted his rest long enough to say that the decision against the Cunningham claims was a political decision.

Yesterday Mr. Ballinger again broke the rest of which he and his reputation are so greatly in need. He described the suggestion that the mines of Alaska be worked on lease or royalty as part of a scheme, and he added: "No more gigantic political scheme has ever been attempted in the history of the republic." He made it quite clear that he still believes Alaska can never be developed unless private capital has everything its own way. He described Alaska as a football in which natural wealth will lie asleep until she ceases to be a football.

Hardly worth while, you think, to break one's rest for the sake of saying things like these? But wait a minute. Do not be hard on Mr. Ballinger. He is trying to help his friends. His speech may sound foolish, but it is to blame for that. Although handicapped by being out of office, he is still loyal to the cause for which he fought, while in office, so much more effectively—New York Globe.

GRIEF BEYOND HER STRENGTH

Caused Mrs. Emma J. Nutt to Commit Suicide To-day

AT HER MONTPELIER HOME

Ever Since Death of Her Husband, Edward A. Nutt, a Well-Known Newspaper Man, She Had Been Suffering From Nervous Prostration.

Having grieved over the death of her husband, Edward A. Nutt, so much that she could stand the strain no longer, Mrs. Emma J. (Grout) Nutt of Montpelier took her own life early this morning at the Riverside boarding house on State street, Montpelier, where she resided, tightly closing the room and then taking gas. Her body was found at 8:30 this forenoon when other occupants of the house smelled gas and caused an investigation to be made.

As Mrs. Nutt's door was locked and she had not been seen this morning, the owner of the building, C. L. Parmenter, forced the door open and found the body, clothed in night apparel, lying on the floor. About the head and shoulders a blanket was tightly wrapped, and leading from an open gas pipe to the mouth was a tube which had been used to connect the jet with a small stove. The woman had apparently wrapped the blanket about her head to confine the gas as much as possible. In addition, the windows were shut closely, which was contrary to Mrs. Nutt's usual habit, and the shades were drawn.

Mrs. Nutt retired last night with Miss Lucy Taplin, another boarder, in the latter's room, as she was accustomed to do when troubled particularly. Miss Taplin said this forenoon that Mrs. Nutt got up and left the room at about half past four o'clock; and it was between that time and 8:30 that she made preparations to end her life. The tube from the gas jet had fallen from her mouth with the relaxation of the body as the gas overcame her.

No threats to end her life had been made by Mrs. Nutt to her friends, and though it was known that she grieved greatly over the loss of her husband, and hence the news of her suicide came as a great surprise. She had recently been in Heaton hospital, suffering from nervous prostration but seemed to be somewhat improved, so that she again took up her occupation of court stenographer. A short time ago she returned from Orleans county court on account of illness, having been given a leave of absence till December, as she told a newspaper man last evening.

Mrs. Nutt was a very capable stenographer and had been engaged in the courts in Orange and Caledonia county, as well as in Orleans. She had been an official court stenographer for about fifteen years. Prior to that she had taught school and was for a time employed in Wheatley's store in Montpelier. She was married to Mr. Nutt about twenty years ago, and up to his death on April 7, last, they had been inseparable companions. At the time of her husband's funeral her mourning was so pronounced that friends remarked then that the strain seemed as if it might be more than she could endure.

Mrs. Nutt was born in Elmira 52 years ago, being the daughter of Major and Mrs. Luman M. Grout, the former of whom, an aged man, still survives. Besides her father, she leaves three brothers, Supt. Don, D. Grout of the Vermont hospital for the insane at Waterbury, Frank E. Grout of Montpelier and George G. Grout of Morrisville; also two sisters, Mrs. M. A. Bingham of Burlington and Mrs. H. W. Collier of Stoneham, Mass.

The arrangements for the funeral have not been completed, but it is thought that the service will be held Saturday. To Mrs. Nutt's many friends throughout the state, the news of her untimely death will come as a great shock. She was well known because of her work as a court stenographer and had a great many friends, not alone in Montpelier, but wherever her work carried her.

SANG THE "DOXOLOGY"

WHEN THEY GOT NEWS

Vermont C. C. T. U. Delegates Were Much Cheered by Woman's Suffrage Victory in California.

Morrisville, Oct. 13.—At the annual state convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance union to-day, the following officers were elected: Honorary president, Mrs. Ida H. Read of Shelburne.

President, Mrs. Gracia Davidson of Newfane.

Corresponding secretary, Mrs. M. L. Pearson of Orleans.

Recording secretary, Mrs. Ellen D. Turner of St. Johnsbury.

Secretary of Y. P. B., Elsie Pease of Swanton.

Editor of Home Guards, Mrs. Clara Smith of Wells River.

During the convention this forenoon news was brought by Mrs. Annette Parmelee of the success of the woman's suffrage campaign in California, and the delegates cheered and also sang the "Doxology" before resuming the convention work. Reports of officers were given this afternoon.

The convention was opened last night, when reports of the various departments were given. The total membership was reported to be 1,641, with 176 taken in during the year. Two new unions were formed, one at Vergennes and the other at Lincoln. A bequest of \$216.30 from the late Martha French of Barton was announced. Many general officers are present at the convention, as well as some visitors from out of Vermont.

Much to the joy of the myriads of small children and others who follow the float from street to street, Mascott's Barre Candy kitchen dispensed over 150 pounds of fresh kisses during yesterday's parade.

\$250,000 IS SUBSCRIBED.

Middlebury College Got the Last Check From Friend in Chicago.

Middlebury, Oct. 13.—President Thompson announces that the general education board fund of \$250,000 for Middlebury college has been subscribed in full. George M. Wright, chairman of the finance committee, has received a check for \$1,000 from a friend of the college in Chicago, which covers the amount which was necessary to validate the pledge of \$50,000 of the general education board.

The trustees of the college have been working to secure this fund since May 24, 1910, when the general education board voted Middlebury an appropriation of \$50,000, conditioned on the raising of a supplemental sum of \$150,000. Over 350 alumni of the college subscribed varying amounts. Among the larger donors are: Hon. A. Barton Hepburn of New York; Andrew Carnegie, ex-governor John G. McCullough; Dr. Henry H. Van of Woodstock; George M. Wright, esq. of New York, and ex-Vice-President Levi P. Morton.

Fifty thousand dollars of this fund will be used for the erection of a gymnasium for men, which has already been started. At least one-half of the full amount will be reserved for general endowment.

\$1,000 BAIL FORFEITED IN SMUGGLING CASE

John J. Flynn of Burlington Was Surety for Frank H. Partridge—Nine True Bills Found by the Grand Jury.

Rutland, Oct. 13.—The federal grand jury to-day reported nine true bills and three not found. Bail of \$1,000 was ordered by Judge Martin to be forfeited in the case of Frank H. Partridge, who was charged with smuggling. John J. Flynn of Burlington was his surety.

CAT ON HIGH ROOF.

Gave Forth Pitiful Cries Till Rescued by Fireman.

Perched high up on the slanting roof of the old Methodist church on Church street, a small cat gave forth a plaintive wail when H. Z. Mills opened his store on the lower floor of the building early this morning. The little animal seemed to be entirely helpless at such an altitude and evidently forgot that it is a cat's prerogative to jump from almost any height and land lightly on its cushioned feet. During the forenoon the doleful cry of the prisoner continued and toward noon a fireman from the central station, who won his spurs in the ladder-climbing contest at the driving park yesterday, came to the scene. Seizing a tall tree which throws its friendly branches over the old church, the climber reached the cat and soon assisted her safely back to terra firma.

Mr. Mills believes that the cat ascended to the roof yesterday by means of the tree for the purpose of witnessing the street parade from a safe vantage point. Neighbors, however, say that puss had been stranded on the church since Tuesday, daily emitting pitiful cries for assistance.

DETECTIVES SEARCHING

FOR GIRL'S ASSAILANTS

Evidence Points Toward Fort Hamilton, a Military Reservation—One Soldier Arrested—Twenty-Two Detectives Are On the Case.

New York, Oct. 13.—No crime in recent years has aroused the New York police to greater activity than the inhuman attack on Miss Agnes Waugh, the nineteen-year-old stenographer, who lies near death to-day. Twenty-two detectives are detached to the case. The search points principally towards Fort Hamilton, a military reservation near the girl's home. One soldier is under arrest and the police expect to arrest another. In her periods of consciousness the girl can tell little about her assailant.

The Knights of Pythias minstrels will not rehearse this evening.

William Jack went to Northfield this noon on a business trip.

Julius Barberini returned afternoon from a few days' hunting trip to Orange.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Worthley of Washington were visitors in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Ernest Letourneau left last night for Springfield, Mass., where she will pass a few weeks with relatives.

Misses Agnes McGraw, Mamie O'Brien, Minnie March and Evelyn Collin of Waterbury were visitors in town yesterday.

James Taylor left the city last night for Boston, whence he will sail Sunday for a several months' stay at his former home in Aberdeen, Scotland.

Mrs. Thomas C. Peters, who has been passing three months in this city as the guest of Mrs. W. C. Douglass and Mrs. Robert Wright of Brook street, left this noon for her home in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Tilden and son, T. W. Tilden, of Roxbury attended the Columbus celebration in this city yesterday, making the trip by automobile.

They were registered at the City hotel during their stay.

Officer George Carle arrested a man near the Harrison Granite Co.'s sheds this forenoon on a charge of intoxication. He was taken to the police station and his name was given as Peter Benulleu.

Mrs. Edward Murphy received word from her husband, Edward Murphy, from Saint George, New Brunswick, yesterday, that his father, Lawrence Murphy of that place, died Monday morning at 10 o'clock. He had been ill but a short time with pneumonia. Mr. Murphy, Jr., who left this city Sunday, did not arrive in time to see his father before death came. Lawrence Murphy was known to many Barre people.

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JURY DRAWN TO TRY TURLEY

Twelve Men Quickly Drawn This Forenoon

AND WERE THEN SWORN IN

On the Reading of the Indictment, Charging Murder in the Death of John McAuley, the Prisoner Pleaded Not Guilty and the Trial Started.

After John Turley had pleaded "not guilty" in Washington county court to-day to the charge of murdering John McAuley at Westerville on July 11, last, the court made rapid progress toward drawing a jury to try the case, which was interrupted after the eleventh jurymen had been drawn, to permit Attorney-General John C. Sargent to respond to a call from supreme court.

The names of the jurymen, as drawn, were as follows:

P. B. GAYLORD, farmer, Waitsfield.

W. F. AINSWORTH, harness-maker, Calais.

F. M. ALLEN, farmer, Barre Town.

R. H. DANIELS, merchant, Woodbury.

FRED LONG, farmer, Warren.

HENRY KELTON, farmer, East Montpelier.

W. I. LAWRENCE, farmer, East Montpelier.

W. A. ROBSON, farmer, Northfield.

W. A. ROBY, lumber manufacturer, Duxbury.

W. T. TIBBETTS, farmer, Cabot.

W. J. WILLEY, farmer, Roxbury.

R. H. DOWNER, lumber mill foreman, Waitsfield.

Two members of the panel of 50 men promptly responded, when their names were called, that they had formed an opinion on the case, and they were, therefore, excused from serving. The two were Guy Humphrey of Marshfield and P. J. Hogan of Easton. Others excused were F. S. Riley, Barre Town, G. H. Guernsey of Calais and F. L. Slayton of East Montpelier.

Turley Responded in Clear Voice.

On the reading of the indictment at the opening of the case, the prisoner was asked to stand, after which he entered the plea of not guilty to murder, responding in rather clear voice. Those who had been acquainted with the man's appearance said that he had become somewhat thinner since his arrest last July. Considering the gravity of the charge against him, the prisoner was quite calm and collected. He was represented by John H. Senter and Richard A. Hoar, Attorney-General Sargent had charges of the prosecution and was assisted by State's Attorney Carver.

The greater part of the forenoon was taken up, after the jury was drawn, in swearing them in, which was done at 11:30. The jury was then placed in the charge of Sheriff Tracy and his deputies, Henry C. Lawson, John Hastings and H. J. Slayton, who had been sworn in. Then the state's witnesses, thirty-five in number, were brought into the courtroom and sworn.

First Witness on Stand.

The first witness put on the stand this afternoon was a civil engineer, Frank Walker of Barre, who had prepared plans of the location where the killing of McAuley was supposed to have taken place. Mr. Walker brought the plans into court and presented them as evidence. The plans showed a group of six houses in Westerville, the Wells-Lamson granite dump, the main road, the trail which led to the spot, the spot beside the road, where McAuley's body was found, and places of blood splashes leading back from the road and up the little trail.

YATTER SENTENCED.

Given Three Years for Stealing Automobile From Perry Garage.

Joseph Yatter, Jr., was brought into county court just before noon to-day and sentenced by Judge Taylor to not less than three years and not more than six years in the house of correction, he having previously pleaded guilty to the charge of stealing a Ford automobile from the Perry Automobile company's garage in Barre two weeks ago.

DOCTORS IN SESSION.

Vermont State Medical Society Holds Its 98th Annual Meeting.

Burlington, Oct. 13.—The Vermont State Medical society, which has a history of almost 100 years, is holding its 98th annual meeting in this city. The sessions opened yesterday. Last evening the annual banquet was served at the hotel Vermont, followed by informal dancing on the roof garden.

Dr. Frederick T. Kidder of Woodstock, was elected president of the society, succeeding Dr. H. C. Tinkham of this city. The session opened with prayer by Rev. E. G. Guthrie.

Mayor Roberts welcomed the doctors to this city. Delegates from the medical societies of other states were then introduced, and greetings were brought from three New England commonwealths by Drs. Williamson of Bangor, Me., Haskell of Bridgeport, Conn., and Supt. Caspary of Greenfield, Mass., of the state hospital.

The afternoon opened with the vice-president's annual address by Dr. S. W. Paige of St. Albans. Dr. A. H. Bellerose of Rutland also spoke. The paper of Dr. J. M. Allen of St. Johnsbury was read by Dr. E. E. Farmer of that place. The closing address was on infantile paralysis, of which there have been many cases in this state during the past few years, by Dr. M. B. Holskins of Palmer, Mass., one of the well-known American authorities.

FIRE IN HANKOW, CHINA.

Interrupts Telegraphic Communication, According to Cable Reports.

New York, Oct. 13.—The Commercial Cable company notified its patrons to-day that telegraphic communications with Hankow, China, had been interrupted by a fire raging in that city.

DIED QUITE SUDDENLY.

Clinton A. Heath of Washington Street Had Heart Trouble.

Clinton A. Heath died quite suddenly at his home, 165 Washington street, this forenoon at 9:45 o'clock, after an illness of only a few days. Death was caused by heart failure. He leaves besides his wife, three children, Clayton, Katherine and Loreta, a sister, Mrs. L. J. Conner of Montpelier and two brothers, Charles L. Heath of this city, and Fred E. Heath of South Barre. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Heath of Barre, also survive.

Mr. Heath was born in Cabot, August 31, 1881. He came to Barre twenty-three years ago and was married to Miss Martha Smith in this city in 1900. During his residence here he has followed the occupation of a carpenter. In the fraternal life of the city he was a prominent figure, belonging to Barre lodge, No. 13, N. E. O. P., Hinavilla lodge, No. 20, I. O. O. F., and of Canton Vinton, No. 9, P. M. He was also a member of Co. H, V. N. C. He attended the Congregational church. The funeral arrangements have not been completed.

FOUND IN THE RIVER.

Body of Still-born Child Was Located There Yesterday.

The body of a male infant was found in the Stevens branch back of the Harrison and the Connolly granite plants, near Blackwell street, yesterday afternoon. There was nothing to furnish a clue as to the person who placed it there. The discovery was reported to the police and Officer Carle investigated the case, the body being removed from the river and held for examination by Dr. Joe W. Jackson.

No autopsy was performed on the body, as none was thought to be necessary. Dr. Jackson stated that the body had probably not been in the water more than four days, and it was possible that it had been placed there less than a single day. It was evident to the physician that the child was still-born.

NORMANDEAU WON

\$1706.77 DAMAGES

Barre Contractor Sued Barre Town Fire District For Extra Costs in Construction of a Dam.

E. M. Normandeau won his case against Fire District No. 1, Barre Town, which was tried during the past week in county court, the jury bringing in a sealed verdict this morning for him to recover \$1,706.77. This verdict was returned following the report yesterday morning that the jury had failed to agree. Suit was brought by Normandeau, a contractor, for extra costs in building a dam for a reservoir, claiming that the completion of the work called for specifications not figured on when he placed his bid for the contract. The amount sued for was \$1,000. The trial of the case ran over the expected time several days and prevented the calling of the murder case against Turley last Tuesday, the date set for it.

VISITORS BANQUETTED.

Informal Affairs of Firemen in Miles' Hall Last Evening.

As guests of the Granite City hose company, the running teams from the Volunteer hose company of Randolph and the firemen representing the Stearns and Lafayette companies from Winooski gathered in Miles' hall last evening for an impromptu banquet before leaving for their homes on the midnight and early morning trains. Refreshments of every description were provided and the occasion was one not soon to be forgotten. Mayor Mutch and members of the city council were present to extend their welcome to the visiting fire ladders.

Speechmaking was in order during the evening and among those who were called upon were Mayor Mutch, Daniel Sullivan and others. Captain Harry Harvey of the Stearns company, Captain Charles Barber of the Lafayette company and Captain B. D. Durkee of the Volunteer responded and each in behalf of his company feelingly expressed their appreciation for the hospitality which had been shown them during their stay in Barre. The latter part of the evening was passed in singing songs, the company breaking up around midnight.

BUILDING STORE ADDITION.

F. D. Ladd Co. to Have Considerably More Floor Space.

Ground has been broken for a two story and basement addition to the rear of the Wood building on North Main street to enable the F. D. Ladd Co. to enlarge its business quarters. The addition will measure 20 by 30 feet and will have solid brick walls. The basement will be used for the ammonia plant for refrigeration, the first floor for a new and larger refrigerator and the second floor for the firm's bakery department, thus doubling the capacity of that department. At the same time the removal of the present refrigerator from the main store will give considerably more floor space there.

W. E. Jackson of Montpelier has secured the contract for the work. The Wood building is owned by Mrs. Rufus B. Fowler of Worcester, Mass.

FUNERAL HELD TO-DAY.

Arthur Letourneau's Service at St. Sylvester's Church in Graniteville.

The funeral of Arthur Letourneau, whose death occurred at the City hospital Tuesday night, after a four week's illness of typhoid fever, was held at St. Sylvester's church in Graniteville this morning at 9 o'clock, the pastor, Rev. Joseph Turett, officiating. The bearers were Joseph Boughton, Peter Dunoquette, Thomas Haley, Joseph Allair, Patrick Shane and Charles Gilbert. The burial took place in the Catholic cemetery on Beckley street.

Among those who attended from out of town were the following persons: Miss Kathleen Sanborn and Frank Sanborn of Burlington, Felix Letourneau of Manchester, N. H., Moses Letourneau of White Plains, N. Y., and John Heney of Sherbrooke, P. Q.

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COLUMBUS DAY BIG SUCCESS

Celebration of Magnitude Carried Out in

ALL THE EVENTS WERE GOOD

Following Imposing Parade, an Interesting Program of Sports Was Carried Out, and Then There Were Historical Exercises in the Evening